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SENATE RESOLUTION

MADAM PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

A SENATE RESOLUTION to Honor Edith Chowning on the celebration of her 103rd birthday;

Whereas, Edith Chowning turned 103 years old on January 8, 2009;

Whereas, Edith Chowning is a lifelong resident of Indianapolis and was married to the late Dr. Frank Chowning;

Whereas, Edith Chowning enjoys reading, playing scrabble, and following current events;

Whereas, Edith Chowning is a repository of historical events and enjoys sharing interesting, informative, and often humorous narratives based on her memories of personal and historically significant events;

Whereas, Edith Chowning is a graduate of Shortridge High School and passionately recalls attending one of the first integrated high schools in Indianapolis;

Whereas, Edith Chowning resides at a local nursing home, but maintains her independence as evidenced by her meticulous



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dress and appearance as well as her ability to propel herself to and fro in her wheelchair;

Whereas, Edith Chowning is well known for her pleasant sense of humor, optimistic outlook on life, and love of chocolate;

Whereas, Edith Chowning is a deep and pensive soul who continues to live life to its fullest; Therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. That the Indiana Senate wishes to congratulate Edith
- 2 Chowning on the celebration of her 103rd birthday.
- 3 SECTION 2. That the Secretary of the Senate transmit a copy of
- 4 this resolution to Edith Chowning and her family.



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